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PASS EUR/ NE FOR SCOTT GEORGE

E. O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: ADDITIONAL VOLCANO EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE REQUESTED
FROM UNITED STATES

REF: REYKJAVIK 0275

1. BECAUSE VOLCANIC FLOW IS NOW MOVING AT A RATE WHICH MAY CLOSE THE HARBOR SOON AND BECAUSE OF THE URGENCY OF THE SITUATION, REQUIREMENTS AS INDICATED REFTEL HAVE BEEN CHANGED AS FOLLOWS:

INSTEAD OF THE NEED FOR A SHIP, IT IS POSSIBLE TO MOUNT PUMPS ON ICELANDIC VESSELS IN VICINITY. REQUIREMENTS THEREFORE ARE AS FOLLOWS, WHICH SUPERSEDE REFTEL:

A. EIGHT EACH OF 1500 GALLON PER MINUTE 50- FOOT HEAD PUMPS. PUMPS SUGGESTED MANUFACTURED BY BARNES MANUFACTURING COMPANY, NOBS 94241, MODEL 4, NAVSHIPS MODEL NS 100- CCD, SERIAL 27983-248;

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B. TWENTY- FOUR EACH OF 500 GALLONS PER MINUTE 336- FOOT HEAD PUMPS. THE PUMPS SUGGESTED ARE INTERSOLL- RAND, SERIAL 0766-114,

SIZE AND TYPE 3 GT, NAVSHIPS TYPE SW- VS, MODEL 5034-710-. THESE CONTAIN A GENERAL MOTORS, DETROIT DIESEL MOTOR MODEL 2-53.

C. THREE EACH OF DECK GUNS EACH OF WHICH HAS A 1,000 GALLON CAPACITY;

D. TWO SUCTION HOSES;

E. ALL THE FITTINGS TO CONNECT THE PUMPS TO THE PIPES (LISTED BELOW) AND DECK GUNS;

F. 3,000 FEET OF PIPES SIX INCHES WIDE AND 3,000 FEET OF PIPES 12 INCHES WIDE, ALL CUT IN TWENTY FOOT SECTIONS. THESE PIPES MUST BE HEAT RESISTANT, LIGHTWEIGHT, FLEXIBLE AND EASILY CONNECTED (PREFER SNAP ON COUPLINGS);

G. 200 LENGTHS OF 2-1/2 INCH WIDE FLEXIBLE FIRE HOSE EACH 50 FEET LONG.

2. EVERY TWENTY FOOT SECTION OF PIPE WILL NEED ONE 2-1/2" OUTLET WITH A VALVE TO CONNECT EACH SECTION OF THE FIRE HOSE AND A 3/4 INCH NOZZLE AT THE END OF EACH FIRE HOSE.

3. COMMENT: WILL TELEPHONE SCOTT GEORGE AND EXPLAIN. THIS TELE- GRAM CLASSIFIED ONLY BECAUSE OF REFERENCE TO PREVIOUS TELEGRAM. IRVING

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